

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of Philippe M. SNIL et al.

Serial No.: 10/722,467

Group Art Unit: 1617

Filed: November 28, 2003

Examiner: Leonard M. Williams

For PROCESS FOR TREATING LAMENESS BY ADMINISTRATION OF A  
BISPHOSPHONIC ACID DERIVATIVE

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

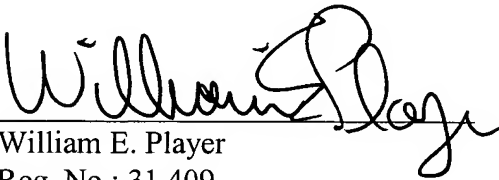
Petition is made hereby for a three-month extension of time for response pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a). The \$1020.00 fee is attached. If this fee is inaccurate, please debit or credit the requisite amount to Deposit Account No. 06-1358.

Respectfully submitted,

JACOBSON HOLMAN PLLC

07/12/2006 HAL111 00000078 10722467  
02 FC:1253 1020.00 OP

By

  
William E. Player  
Reg. No.: 31,409

400 Seventh Street, N.W.  
Suite 600  
Washington, D.C. 20004  
Tel. 202-638-6666  
Fax 202-393-5350  
Date: July 10, 2006  
WEP/jhr

R:\rthomas\wep\2006\July\P63187US2 EOT (3x).wpd